



Re: Columbus City
Solid Waste
Open Dumping

May 19, 1980

Charles Pagnotto, R.S.
Assistant Director of Environmental Health
Columbus City Health Department
181 Washinton Blvd.
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Mr. Pagnotto:

Mr. Ken Humphrey and I from the Ohio EPA recently accompanied Messrs. Jim Veeley and Steve Vanecko from your Department on an investigation of an open dump operation located at the southeast corner of McKinley Avenue and Trabue Road. We found that this site is disposing of solid wastes in violation of Section 3734 of the Ohio Revised Code and Rules 3745-27 and 3745-37 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Items being disposed of included cardboard and paper, wooden pallets, grass clippings, plastic soft drink containers, and an industrial sludge like material.

Your Department should notify the owner and operator of these violations, and that disposing of solid wastes must stop immediately. This site should be inspected frequently and if the site continues to receive solid wastes, your Department should take any necessary enforcement action to bring the site into compliance.

If you have any questions, or if we can be of any further assistance, please contact our office at 466-6450.

Sincerely,

Duane A. Snyder
District Solid Waste Scientist
Office of Land Pollution

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cc: Joe Speakman, OLPC, Central Office

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